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**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
STATE OF MISSOURI**

**NOTICE OF APPLICATIONS AND OPPORTUNITY TO INTERVENE**

The Missouri Public Service Commission is required to give notice to all interexchange and local exchange telecommunications companies when an application is filed for a certificate of service authority or for competitive classification. §§ 392.361.2 RSMo 1994<sup>1</sup>.

The Commission must approve a certificate of service authority for the resale of interexchange telecommunication services or local exchange services if it finds that approving the certificate is in the public interest. § 392.440. The Commission may classify a company as competitive if it finds that all the telecommunications services the company offers are competitive services. § 392.361.3. The Commission waives application of the following statutes and Commission rules for competitive companies as authorized by Sections 392.361.5 and 392.420:

<u>Statutes</u>	<u>Commission Rules</u>
392.240(1)	4 CSR 240-10.020
392.270	4 CSR 240-30.010(2)(C)
392.280	4 CSR 240-30.040
392.290	4 CSR 240-32.030(1)(B)
392.310	4 CSR 240-32.030(1)(C)
392.320	4 CSR 240-32.030(2)
392.330	4 CSR 240-32.050(3-6)
392.340	4 CSR 240-32.070(4)
	4 CSR 240-33.030
	4 CSR 240-33.040(5)

**YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED** that each applicant listed in the schedule accompanying this notice has applied to the Commission for a certificate of service authority to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications services and/or non-switched local exchange telecommunications services under Sections 392.410 through 392.440. Each applicant has requested competitive classification, and has filed a proposed tariff. If the Commission's staff makes a favorable recommendation and no request for hearing is filed, the Commission will grant certificates of service

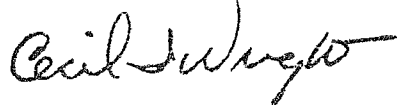
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<sup>1</sup>All statutory references are to the Revised Statutes of Missouri, 1994, or to the 1996 Supplement.

authority and competitive classification to these applicants, and approve the applicants' proposed tariffs, without a hearing.

If you wish to contest whether it is in the public interest to grant an applicant competitive status or a certificate of service authority, you may file a written application to intervene by the intervention date on the Schedule of Applicants. Address your Application to Intervene to the Executive Secretary of the Missouri Public Service Commission, Post Office Box 360, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102, and serve copies on the applicant, the applicant's attorney, and all intervenors. You may obtain a copy of an application filed with the Commission by sending a written request to the Executive Secretary at the above address.

**BY THE COMMISSION**



**Cecil I. Wright**  
**Executive Secretary**

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L. Anne Wickliffe, Deputy Chief  
Administrative Law Judge, by  
delegation of authority pursuant to  
4 CSR 240-2.120(1) (November 30, 1995)  
and Section 386.240, RSMo 1994.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 8th day of July, 1997

**SCHEDULE OF APPLICANTS**

Applications for certificates of service authority to provide interexchange and local exchange telecommunications services.

**Missouri Public Service Commission**

July 8, 1997

**INTERVENTION DATE: July 23, 1997**

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Case No. **TA-97-557**

ALJ: George

Applicant:

USBG, INC.

5601 West 120th Street

Alsip, Illinois 60658

**Tariff Effective: 8/13/97**

Attorneys:

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Springfield, Missouri 65801

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900 Comerica Building

Kalamazoo, Michigan 49007

Applicant requests a certificate of service authority to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications services and classification as a competitive company with the standard waivers.

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Case No. **TA-98-1**

ALJ: George

Applicant:

Crawford Technologies, L.L.C

10301 North Sarcice Road

P.O. Box 10

Bourbon, Missouri 65441

**Tariff Effective: 8/15/97**

Attorney:

Craig S. Johnson

305 E. McCarty

P.O. Box 1438

Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

Applicant requests a certificate of service authority to provide intrastate interexchange and local exchange telecommunications services and classification as a competitive company with standard waivers. (Local exchange authority will be limited to providing dedicated, non-switched local exchange private line services.)

Case No. TA-98-2  
ALJ: George  
Applicant:  
White River Technologies, L.L.C.  
East Highway 76  
P.O. Box 969  
Branson, Missouri 65615

**Tariff Effective: 8/15/97**  
Attorney:  
Craig S. Johnson  
305 E. McCarty  
P.O. Box 1438  
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

Applicant requests a certificate of service authority to provide intrastate interexchange and local exchange telecommunications services and classification as a competitive company with standard waivers. (Local exchange authority will be limited to providing dedicated, non-switched local exchange private line services.)

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Case No. TA-98-3  
ALJ: George  
Applicant:  
USA Tele Corp.  
351 S. Cypress Rd., Ste. 400  
Pompano Beach, Florida 33069

**Tariff Effective: 8/15/97**  
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Applicant requests a certificate of service authority to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications services and classification as a competitive company with the standard waivers.

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